

STRONG DRAFT OF COULTHURST

VOTE EARLY

So that no repeater can vote on your name. If you find your name has already been voted on SWEAR IN YOUR VOTE

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MISSING BALL CHILDREN

Were these tots slain by their crazed mother, and their bodies hidden in a swamp or in the Melrose cemetery? The Brockton police, aided by 1,000 volunteers, have been baffled at every turn in the search to find them.



I SHALL BE FIRST, FITZGERALD THIRD, SAYS COULTHURST

INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE'S CANDIDATE'S ANALYSIS OF MAYORALTY VOTE.

Picturing the Fitzgerald vote at "not more than 25,000," and declaring that Fitzgerald will be "third man in the contest," estimating Postmaster Hibbard's vote at probably 30,000, but possibly 25,000, and figuring his own vote at double the 15,000 that went to Thomas L. Higgen for Governor (17,956), John A. Coulthurst, Independence League-Non-Partisan candidate for Mayor, before the polls opened to-day gave out a forecast of the result.

In each case, Mr. Coulthurst details the basis upon which his estimate is built. His analysis is as follows:

MAYOR FITZGERALD.

Fitzgerald nominated Denison. He realized that a big vote for Denison would give him prestige in the Mayoralty fight, and that a small vote for Denison would be a blow to his Mayoralty aspirations. He used the utmost resources of his political power to whip the party vote into line for Denison. He forced the city employees to work after hours in Denison's interest. He also used the same influences to roll up a big vote for Whitney.

The result—Denison got 17,000 votes and Whitney got 25,000 votes. The 5,000 votes that Whitney got over Denison were half Republican votes, which cannot be counted for Fitzgerald in his Mayoralty fight. In the primaries, according to the election returns, Fitzgerald got 25,000 votes. The recount in Ward 6 shows probably he got about 17,000 votes, the same vote that Denison got in the State election.

I predict that Fitzgerald will not possibly get a larger vote than Whitney, and that his vote will probably be nearer that of Denison.

FIGURE MR. HIBBARD WILL GET NOT MORE THAN 20,000 VOTES, AND WILL BE THIRD MAN IN THE CONTEST.

HIBBARD.

In the State election, Governor Guild received 23,000 votes; 5,000 of these votes were Democratic votes. Webster received 15,000 votes, the maximum straight Republican strength in Boston.

At the Republican primaries about 14,000 votes were cast in a contested Mayoralty fight, which to my mind is the maximum Republican party vote for this campaign.

Mr. Hibbard will not receive the Independent Republican vote represented by such men as John K. Berry and Rev. Herbert S. Johnson. He will not receive the Democratic votes cast for Guild.

FIGURE MR. HIBBARD FOR A PROBABLE VOTE OF 20,000, AND A POSSIBLE VOTE OF 25,000.

COULTHURST.

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Relying upon the enthusiasm with which his candidacy has been received in every part of the city and which came to a climax at Tremont Temple Saturday night, where 4,000 people were gathered together and after thousands were unable to gain admission, and relying upon the strength of my constructive policy of municipal reform and a square deal that I have been advancing for a month, I AM CONFIDENT AT LEAST OF DOUBLING THE VOTE GIVEN MR. HIGGEN IN THE STATE CAMPAIGN, AND REPORTS INDICATE THAT IT WILL BE MUCH LARGER EVEN THAN THAT.

POSSE HUNTS BALL CHILDREN IN CEMETERY

May Use Psychology Test If Other Plans Fail in Search. To Use Mother in Experiment.

BROCKTON, Dec. 10.—Abandoning the theory that the bodies of the missing children of Thomas Ball of No. 26 Melrose avenue, are in the Avon Reservoir, the police to-day make a thorough search of the Melrose Cemetery. In so doing they act upon the suggestion of Mr. Ball, who says his wife, when dependent, was accustomed to spend some time among the graves. For little baby, her first-born, now rests in a grave in the cemetery. It was the death of the baby which first stole away her reason and sent her to the Taunton Insane Asylum four years ago.

Meanwhile, if the search of the cemetery and woods fails to reveal the missing children, Mayor Kent and City Marshal Kingman plan to make use of mental suggestions in solving the mystery.

Use Mother in Experiment.

Mrs. Mary Ball, the crazed mother of the children, now confined in the Taunton Insane Asylum, will be used for the experiment as soon as she is physically able. Acting on the theory that the mother's mind can be connected with the events of the night when she is supposed to have slain the children, the police will seek the clue to their disposition from herself. They will take her to one point of her travels on the fatal Monday and hope that her mind will then brighten to the extent of fixing itself upon the next step she took and thus cause her to retrace her journey and lead the officers to the place where she hid the bodies of the children. The authorities are preparing a plan of her course, so far as they have been able to learn it, and will take her over it when her feet have become healed.

In case other attempts to locate the missing children fail, the authorities will use this as a last resort. Every effort is being made at the Taunton Asylum, where Mrs. Ball is confined, to assist her in regaining her reason.

To-day's search of the Melrose cemetery is the most pathetic incident in this tragedy which has aroused the sympathy of all Brockton and surrounding towns.

Father Suggests Cemetery.

Yesterday the police unsuccessfully

REPORTS SHOW SHIFT TO COULTHURST AS MAN TO DEFEAT FITZGERALD

Reports from many wards in Boston early to-day indicate that the big independent vote has settled upon JOHN A. COULTHURST as the man to BEAT FITZGERALD. The man to beat FITZGERALD is the man to beat BOTH MACHINES.

On the eve of election, as the three rival candidates made their final tours of the city, it seemed evident in all sections that the TIDE had TURNED FOR COULTHURST and that an increased WAVE of enthusiasm for the League-Non-Partisan candidate was SWEEPING over the entire city.

Another big feature of the night before was the SWITCHING of the Independent Republicans in great numbers to Coulthurst in an effort to bring about the defeat of Fitzgerald. The Democratic Independents were already in line, and the GREAT RULE at City Hall, it is predicted, doomed.

The news traveled among the Republican independents that COLONEL BOWDOIN S. PARKER, REPUBLICAN LEADER of the House of Representatives in 1893 and author of the act that resulted in the Bay State Gas investigation, had CONDEMNED HIBBARD and "what he stands for," and had openly DECLARED FOR COULTHURST.

"There is very LITTLE DIFFERENCE," said Colonel Parker in a letter to the League-Non Partisan candidate, in the TWO GANGS seeking the city offices and contracts.

"I sincerely hope that you may win."

Rival Leaders Glum and Gloomy.

The addition of Colonel Parker and his followers to the already great Republican following of Coulthurst, following the lead of former State Senator John K. Berry and the Rev. Herbert S. Johnson with the Independent League Non-Partisan candidate, was received with alarm at Hibbard headquarters. Nobody could be induced to say a word about it. All looked glum and gloomy.

The triumph of the Rev. John F. Cummins of Roslindale was said to be just as effective among Democratic Independents, and election day dawned with the Coulthurst boom in a condition that pleased every member of the various committees.

All ward news independent of every kind was the subject of the most of the Boston vote for District Attorney early last week ago. In that contest the city gave the Fitzgerald candidate 17,000 votes, the Lodge candidate 25,000 votes, and John R. Moran, candidate of the Independent League, 30,500 votes.

Fitzgerald Poor Third.

One of the most interesting contributions to the political literature of the day was Mr. Coulthurst's forecast of the vote for District Attorney, which, although the League Non-Partisan candidate, being guided with "movers" wearing Fitzgerald votes who attempted to intimidate every voter who approached in the interest of the League Non-Partisan candidate.

In precinct 2, Ward 2, thirty votes had been cast for Mr. and Chairman McGuffin of the Democratic City Committee, and about 100 votes were cast in Ward 20 up to 2 o'clock and about 500 in Ward 21, and 1,000 in Ward 22.

Ring Bell to Call Voters.

The Ring Bell is to be rung to-day in the lower precincts.

Early in the morning the demonstration advocates had the bells in all the churches ringing to call the voters.

The temperance men have managed to get their voters to vote "No."

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JURY FAILS TO FIND \$15,000 HARM IN KISS

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 10.—The twelve good men and true who have been listening to Mrs. Laura White's suit against former Fire Commissioner John J. Russell of New York, decided yesterday that probably Mrs. White hadn't been kissed against her will by the doughty chief, or, if she was, they concluded, she wasn't damaged \$15,000 worth.

PARENTS AND POLICE HUNT PRETTY GIRL

WORCESTER, Dec. 10.—The police have been asked to locate fifteen-year-old Lydia Greenleaf, the pretty factory girl, who disappeared from her home on Friday morning and for whom her parents have been searching in vain.

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PRETENSE GIRL FORGER'S PLEA

Demure Little Miss Declares
Love for Speeding Excuse
for Crimes.

SIGNED EMPLOYER'S NAME

By Charles Somerville.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—For the sake of showing her small, demure body around the leather cushions of a big automobile, for the sake of listening to the high hum of its mechanism for the sake of flashing along the road, past fields and wooded and through towns and villages, tagging with exhilaration of the speeding speed, for the sake of traveling for the moment and for the sake of the fact that she was driving a car, she has been charged with the crime of forging checks for the purpose of obtaining money for the purchase of a new automobile.

SPEED MAD, SHE FORGED CHECKS

Martha Wellman, little New York girl, who admits she's an automobile addict.

At a recent trial at the New York court, Martha Wellman, a demure little girl, who admits she's an automobile addict, was charged with the crime of forging checks for the purpose of obtaining money for the purchase of a new automobile.

WOODS GIRL 11,000 LBS MADE HERSELF TJITJAK'S HERE

Parisian Beauty Escapes Her
Parents and Marries Sculptor
in New York.

To be wooed from San Francisco to Paris and back again to New York, a distance of 11,000 miles.

WATCH OUT, MAMA MOTH, TJITJAK'S HERE

World Looking For Insects
From Japan Has Been Im-
ported to New York.

NOT PRETTY, BUT USEFUL



The *Tjitjak*, from
Japan, Who Loves
to Dine on Moths

ZIMMERMAN ORDERS DUKE FROM CASTLE

Cincinnati Millionaire Uses
Drastic Measures With
Titled Son-in-Law.

TO RENOVATE FAMILY SET

Demure as a Child.

But instead of a demurely dressed, demure little girl, who admitted that she was driving a car, she was a girl who was driving a car.



Mr. Atkins is famed for his beautiful
modelling of famous men and women.

Tjitjak Just Arrived.

The *Tjitjak* has just arrived in this country.

Duke Must Obey.

Having taken the Duke of Tanderage.

There is a great deal of talk about the Duke of Tanderage.

WOODS GIRL AGED FARMER AGED AS SLAVE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Half starved, yet burling over the release from what he declared to be slavery on a farm owned by R. T. Pender, six miles from Italy, N. C.

GIRL'S NERVS HUBBACHT BALD RIPPED WORLD CRUISE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The steady nerves of Miss Ethel Hayes, No. 225 East Seventy-first street, yesterday, said the friends who the Eastern District Court Company has at its branch, No. 829 Sixth avenue.

ACTRESS HAS LOST VERIFORUM APPENDIX

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 10.—Adele Blom, who is playing in "Patience" at the Minneapolis theatre, yesterday, said she had lost her appendix.

Starting from the South Boston High School at 10 o'clock today, Francis V. Crowley and Edwin M. Reed, two venturesome young school athletes, will try to break Edward Payson Weston's record in walking.

Stockholm, Dec. 10.—Attended by the Princess and his suite, King Gustav arrived yesterday received the homage of the troops, who were drawn up in a semi-circle around the palace.

Another story and a much more lively one is that Mr. Zimmerman was to return and make the visit yesterday.

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Mother, do not sacrifice the health and all the future happiness of your daughters. The day of your daughter's nervousness is a trying time on their body and nerves. Dr. Greene's NERVURA supports both.

Dr. Greene's NERVURA enriches and revitalizes the blood. It feeds the nervous system with the sustaining vitality of nerve force. With blood and nerves right every girl will enter upon womanhood with bright prospects for a long, happy, useful life.

Miss Katharine Mack, 47 Dan St., Everett, Mass., says: "I was afflicted with nervousness and a touch of St. Vitus dance. My mother sent me to Dr. Greene's NERVURA, which I did and can say it helped me in a very short time. Dr. Greene's NERVURA built me up so that I am now a strong, healthy woman. It is a wonderful remedy in the only thing I have ever used for my nervousness."

Dr. Greene's NERVURA makes the weak strong, and the sick well—it is the time-tested remedy that cures. Dr. Greene may be consulted free of charge either by letter or personally at his office, 34 Temple Pl., Boston, Mass.

COLONEL BOWDOIN STRONG PARKER, A LEADING REPUBLICAN AND PROMINENT LAWYER, WHO HAS COME OUT FOR JOHN A. COUTHURST, INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR, SAYS: "AS BETWEEN FITZGERALD AND HIBBARD, THERE IS VERY LITTLE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO GANGS SEEKING THE CITY OFFICES AND CONTRACTS."

LEADING REPUBLICAN OUT FOR LEAGUE CANDIDATE

COUTHURST IS BATED BOSTON'S NEXT VOTER

"I expect to be elected Mayor of Boston by so large a vote that the professional politicians of Boston will wonder what sort of a cyclone struck them."—John A. Couthurst.

Received on all sides by cheering and enthusiastic multitudes receiving his appeals to civic virtue, common sense and decency, declaring that his favor and cheering how threats, intimations and promises of political reward are being used to drive men to the machine, Candidate John A. Couthurst, Independence League Non-Partisan candidate for Mayor, closed his rallies last night in triumph akin to that of Saturday and the overflowing audience in Tremont Temple.

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"You will win you will win!" cried his hearers everywhere.

Three Overflow Rallies.
Mr. Couthurst's third speeches of the campaign were delivered before the new Club at No. 12 Park street, "Charles town" at Labor Union Hall, No. 24 North street, in Ward 4, and at the new Club at Washington street, Brighton.

At each of the three rallies, Mr. Couthurst was greeted by a cheering and enthusiastic audience.

The night was a succession of orations. At each of the rallies Mr. Couthurst spoke substantially as follows:

Fellow Citizens.—This is the last day of the most momentous campaign waged for the election of a Mayor for the city of Boston. The city has reached a crisis in its political history. The citizens of Boston are called upon to elect a Mayor who will be a reformer and a statesman.

My candidacy and my platform are based upon the following principles:

My first belief is that when the people of Boston elect a Mayor, they elect a Mayor who will be a reformer and a statesman.

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In a letter to Mr. Couthurst, Colonel Parker says: "I sincerely hope that you may win, and I have tried to aid your cause as far as I was able. I am a Republican, but not of the machine type, and I do not wish to see another administration in control of the city."

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HEAVY VOTE MARKS EARLY BALLOTTING

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The early vote was mainly Democratic. The Republican vote was expected to be small, as in usual years.

In Ward 24, President's 2, and 4, Senator's 1, heavy vote was cast for Couthurst.

In Ward 12, Couthurst was particularly strong at the polling of the late afternoon.

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In Ward 26, Couthurst was particularly strong at the polling of the late afternoon.

DEAD WIFE'S SHIRT WAS STOLEN FROM THE SHIRT BOX

Husband of Larchmont Victim Brings \$5,000 Suit for Alienation of Affection.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 10.—Some sensational testimony was brought out in the case of the late Mrs. John D. Larchmont, who died in 1905.

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WOMAN SEEKS SHIRT IN THE SHIRT BOX

IF YOU VOTE FOR THE OTHER SIX.

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ROBBERS STARS BEVERLY

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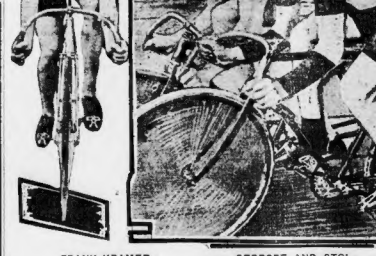
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BIKERS CAN'T STOP FOR POLICE SEIZURE

SUMMARIES OF SIX-DAY RACES IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN SINCE THE INTRODUCTION OF TEAMS IN CYCLE RACING

Year	Winner	Time
1898	Miller and Walter	2:15.1
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BURR WILL CAPTAIN NEXT HARVARD EVEN

As was expected, Francis Burr, '08, will be the second term he has had no opportunity of making a reputation for himself in football at that school. Before going to Andover he had played a year or two at Andover in football and basketball. Burr has been elected to captain of the Harvard football team for next year. Burr will probably go on to Harvard in the fall. Burr is a native of New York and weighs 155 pounds.



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BIX A. M. SCORE (29 HOURS).

Butt and Noel	557
Georgetown and	557
Logan and Bader	557
Krebs and Vanderstee	557
Yankee and Bader	557
Dowling and Bader	557
Lawson and Bader	557
Samuelson and Bader	557
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Galvin and Willey	557
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WILLIAMS AND GENDRON HOLD ON SKATING RACE AT PARK SQUARE RINK

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TERRY PART POLICE STOP THE NEWLY

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BUNK GETS A SQUARE MEAL!

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**Tiny, Wriggling Atoms—Emblematic
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These little living creatures were gazed at sympathetically and curiously by the big eyes of reporters and editors and office boys—persons equally sympathetic—not one able to help. What the mother mouse could have done so easily and simply not all the big human beings could possibly have accomplished. A power far above them in intelligence HAD to leave them to mouse law and mouse fate.

One office boy of practical mind, not yet benevolent, thought that the cat should be sent for. Twenty humana beings, inclined to pity, could only decide that the best would be to end the struggling lives quickly.

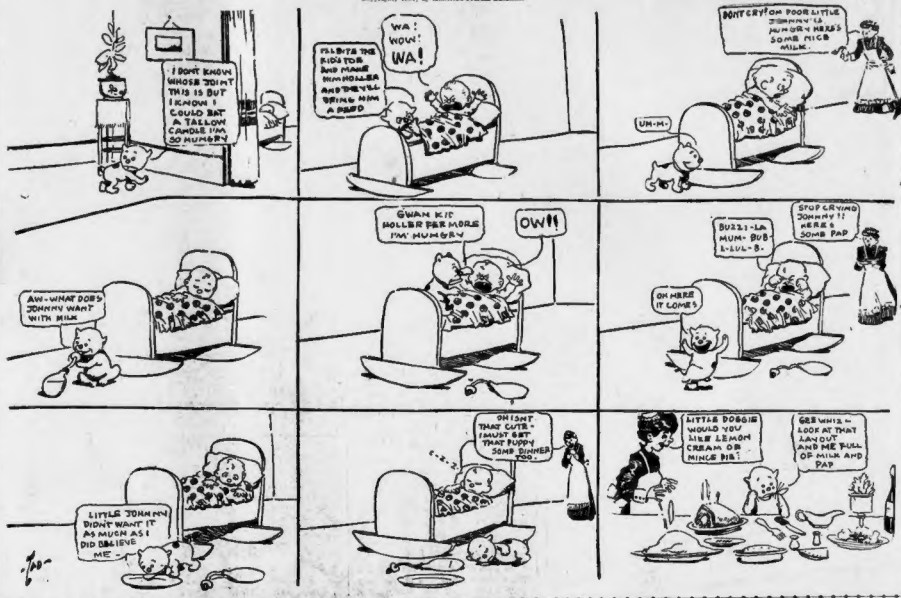
BUT could you get any more intelligent answer if you asked YOURSELF that question? You came here but yesterday, also pink, feeble, helpless and wriggling. And you will go out to-morrow, knowing no more than when you came.

How wonderful is creation, how foolish little man who holds himself greater than the new-born mice, who struggles as selfishly and feebly

Our comfort is in this: Thought, purpose, benevolence, JUSTICE and a wise plan are back of it all, back of all our weakness, back of our short lives, back of the destiny that we cannot understand.

The death of Oscar II. of Sweden removes the most democratic and perhaps the most beloved sovereign in Europe.

Perhaps his chief claim on our esteem is that he furnished such a grateful contrast to the fantastic and weakling figures of some of the other kings of Europe.



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If You Are Facing Life's Problems Wisely
By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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bull terrier and will think of the donor
every time the terrier bites them.
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